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## GLADIOLUS

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## WAR PAINT

*(Red Penny x Regent)*

✿ A new scarlet which opens up to 10 large florets on a 22 bud spike. Height 54", flower-head 27". Because of its strong straight stem and long flower-head, it makes an excellent garden glad as well as cut flower variety. Blooms in 85 days. Does not burn or crook. Bulblets germinate well and make strong plants.

WAR PAINT has already shown its value as a show flower. It is a winner of the American Home Achievement Medal. Eight entries in shows of the last two seasons netted 8 firsts, plus one special award.

Illustration shows a typical spike.

Any size bulb—\$5.00 each

Any size bulb plus 10 bulblets—\$9.00 (no bulblets sold separately this year)



# VOODOO

(*Picardy* x *Pfizer's Triumph*) x *Bagdad*



✂ Voodoo is a novelty and exhibition glad with 6" florets, ruffled and needlepoint. Its color has been variously described as a smoky, wine-bronze or plum color. It is unique in that the pigmentation occurs as a stippling on a light background rather than as a solid color.

While Voodoo has not yet reached many shows, its show record is excellent with many firsts, at least two sectional championships and the American Home Achievement Medal.

"Voodoo is the glad you can't forget."

Prepaid prices:

Large .....	\$1.00 each;	10 for \$8.00
Medium .....	.75 each;	10 for 6.00
Small .....	.50 each;	10 for 4.00
Bulblets .....	3 for .25;	10 for .80

# MAMIE

(*Picardy* x *Giant Nymph*)

✻ This is a large-flowering salmon pink glad, tall and strong, with excellent cutting qualities. Its color is a shade deeper than *Picardy* and leans more toward the pink end of the salmon range. When the bottom florets open, most of the buds show color, the larger ones having a prominent flare at the tip which greatly increases the decorative value of the spike.

Foliage is especially thrip-resistant. Blooming period is same as for *Picardy*.

Because of its value to us as a cut flower, we did not introduce this until we had more stock than we could use for that purpose. This, and the fact that *MAMIE* propagates with ease, persuaded us to make the introductory price such that anyone could give it a trial.

*From some who did grow it, we hear:* "One of the most beautiful glads I have ever seen."—W.M. "A beautiful glad."—A.P. "I was both proud and pleased with the spikes of *MAMIE*."—J.P. "A dandy cutter."—C.R. "A good commercial."—C.F.

Prepaid prices:

Large .....	2 for .25; 10 for \$1.00
Medium .....	2 for .20; 10 for .75
Small .....	4 for .25; 10 for .50
Bulblets .....	10 for .15; 100 for 1.00

# MOTHER KADEL

(*Picardy* x *Spray of Gold*)

✻ Since its introduction in 1941 this variety has been increasing yearly in its popularity as a show flower and a commercial cut flower. Perhaps its chief appeal lies in its exceptionally pure tone of medium yellow, unmarked by foreign color of any sort. Cut in bud it opens well in water, holding its size and color to the very tip.

Prepaid prices:

Large .....	.15 each; 10 for \$1.20
Medium .....	2 for .25; 10 for 1.00
Small .....	2 for .15; 10 for .60
Bulblets .....	10 for .15; 100 for 1.00





# JOURNEY'S END

(*Picardy* x *Pfitzer's Triumph*)

✿ This glad is the happy blend of its two great parents. Color is a deep salmon-pink with deeper throat and petal margins. Those who do not quibble over colors consider it as a shade of red. Its 6" florets are carried high on a tall strong stem. Blooms in 80 days. Bulblets sometimes germinate slowly.

At the shows—In addition to being a consistent winner in its color class, JOURNEY'S END has to its credit: Champion seedling at Havre de Grace, Md., 1941; American Home Achievement Medal at Wheeling, W. Va., 1942; Champion basket at Binghamton, N. Y., 1946.

While stock of this variety has limited its use as a cut-flower to local florists, it brings a premium price at all seasons.

## Prepaid prices:

Any size bulb .	\$1.50 each;	10 for \$12.00
Bulblets .....	.25 each;	10 for 2.00



# RED PENNY

(*Apricot Glow* x *Pfitzer's Triumph*)

✂ RED PENNY was introduced and recommended specifically as an early cut-flower and florist favorite. Early reports from those who grew it this past season support our experience.

Color is a live orange-red with somewhat ruffled, medium-sized florets. Its consistently straight, strong stem, which cuts easily with a minimum of damage to foliage, contributes to its ideal cut-flower qualities.

RED PENNY is a most vigorous and healthy glad. Its foliage remains deep green until killed by heavy frost. I have never seen a diseased plant or bulb.

If you want a good commercial for the early high prices, you want RED PENNY. No local florist who has bought it by the dozen has failed to reorder by the hundred.

*From Rochester, N. Y.:* "RED PENNY has a very striking color. I had 1,000 No. 5's and cut practically every spike. I cut tight buds and every one turned out fine. The sun and hot weather did not burn or affect them in any way. I can't wait to see what they will do from large bulbs."

*From Clintwood, Va.:* "I consider RED PENNY the best red I have ever grown. Can you tell me at this time the cost of large bulbs for the 1947 growing season? Some of the bulblets bloomed."

## Prepaid prices:

Large .....	1 for .20; 10 for \$1.60
Medium .....	1 for .15; 10 for 1.20
Small .....	1 for .10; 10 for .80
Bulblets .....	10 for .20; 100 for 1.60



WHOLESALE PRICES f. o. b. LEBANON, PA.  
(25 bulbs sold at the 100 rate; 250 at the 1,000 rate)

Variety	per	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6
JOURNEY'S END	100	\$96.00	\$96.00	\$96.00	\$96.00	\$96.00	\$96.00
		(Bulblets: \$16.00 per 100)					
MAMIE	100	\$ 8.00	\$ 7.00	\$ 6.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 4.00	\$ 3.00
	1,000	64.00	56.00	48.00	40.00	32.00	24.00
		(Bulblets: \$25.00 per quart)					
MOTHER KADEL	100	\$ 9.00	\$ 8.00	\$ 7.00	\$ 5.50	\$ 4.50	\$ 3.50
	1,000	70.00	64.00	55.00	44.00	36.00	28.00
		(Bulblets: \$20.00 per quart)					
RED PENNY	100	\$ 12.75	\$11.15	\$ 9.50	\$ 7.95	\$ 6.40	
	1,000	100.00	88.00	76.00	63.00	50.00	
		(Bulblets: \$40.00 per quart)					
VOODOO	100	\$64.00	\$56.00	\$48.00	\$40.00	\$32.00	\$24.00
		(Bulblets: \$75.00 per pint)					

